



Guide to Birds at Oden State Fish Hatchery



Osprey

This raptor dines solely on fish. They fly with a marked kink to their wings. Listen for chirping calls overhead.



Bald eagle

Seen near bodies of water looking for fish. Often steals fish from other creatures' catches.



Great blue heron

Often seen wading in rivers and ponds looking for fish, frogs and rodents along the bank.



Wood duck

Found in shallow water, swimming near edges. Colorful males and well-camouflaged females nest in tree cavities.



Cedar waxwing

Found in groups eating berries or catching insects over rivers.



Eastern phoebe

These songbirds nest under human-created shelters. Makes a raspy "phoebe" call.



Green heron

Often hidden near water's edge. Dark, stocky bird hunched on yellow legs. Makes a harsh "sheow" sound.



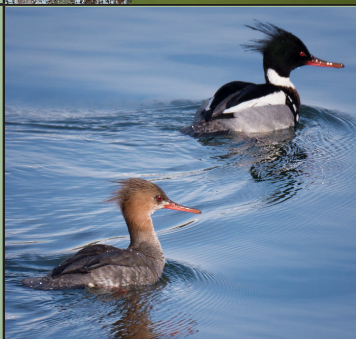
Black-and-white warbler

Small songbird with a thin, squeaky song. Creeps along tree trunks and branches.



Northern flicker

Most woodpeckers are observed clinging to tree bark, but flickers forage for insects on the ground. Look for a white patch at the base of their tail as they fly.



Common merganser

Located on rivers and lakes. Females have rusty, cinnamon heads. Males have white bodies with dark green heads and red bills.